

Badman Cook Is Nabbed

5 Bodies Found In An Abandoned Mine Near Joplin, Mo.

SAN DIEGO, Calif. — (AP) — Droopy-eyed desperado William E. Cook, jr., suspected killer of eight persons, was captured without resistance Monday in the Mexican village.

Almost simultaneously, state and federal officers, acting on a tip from a one-time prison mate of the Missouri ex-convict found the bodies of five of his alleged victims—the Carl Mosser family—floating in an abandoned mine shaft at Joplin, Mo., Cook's home town.

Cook, pleading mental blackouts and denying any knowledge of killing anyone, stepped handcuffed across the international boundary at Tijuana, Mex., into custody of federal bureau of investigation agents.

The curly-haired, 23-year-old was whisked to San Diego and arraigned on three federal charges. He was ordered held without bail for a hearing Jan. 29.

Cook also faces five separate murder charges in Pawhuska, Okla., for the slaying of the Mossers. FBI agents identified the family after their bodies were recovered Monday.

Prospectors Unharmed.

Lured with Cook and also flown here were two missing El Centro, Calif., prospectors, Forrest Damron, 32, and James Burke, 33. They were believed to have been abducted by Cook.

The tip which led Mexican police to Cook came from Xavier Gonzales, paymaster at a Santa Rosalia lead mine, and a San Diego man, Jerry Grant, an engineer at the mine.

Gonzales and Grant told Tijuana police that last Tuesday they passed a maroon sedan on the highway and because it was a narrow thoroughfare slowed down and exchanged greetings with three men in the car. When this was reported to the Tijuana police Saturday the chief and a posse started for Santa Rosalia because Damron and Burke, missing for 10 days, had been driving a maroon sedan.

Police Chief Francisco Kraus Morales said it was an easy matter for him and one other officer to capture Cook. They saw Cook and the two El Centro men on the street in the little town of Santa Rosalia and followed Cook into a restaurant.

In the restaurant, said Chief Morales, they simply walked up to the badman, took a .32 caliber pistol from his belt and placed him under arrest. There was no struggle or resistance, Morales reported.

Gruesome Discovery.

The gruesome finds in the Joplin mine shaft capped the climax of the two-week man-hunt for Cook himself. It was the discovery of the Mossers' blood-soaked family car on the outskirts of Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 3 that set off the international chase.

The Mossers, Carl, 33; his wife, Thelma, 29; and their children, Ronald Dean, 7; Cary Carl, 5, and Pamela Sue, 3, had been missing since they left their farm home near Atwood, Ill. Dec. 29 to drive to Albuquerque, N. M., for a holiday with relatives.

Watts Pays Penalty

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind.—(AP)—Robert Austin Watts was electrocuted at the Indiana state prison early Tuesday for the sex killing of an Indianapolis housewife.

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DESPERADO CAPTURED—Badman William E. Cook, suspected slayer of eight, is lifted from a plane by Tijuana, Mex., Police Chief Francisco Kraus Morales, who brought Cook to Tijuana after the desperado was captured Monday. (AP Wirephoto Monday Night.)

Brehm Will Move Jail's Abandonment

Prisoners Would Be Placed In City Cells

County Commissioner Russell Brehm has indicated he will make a motion at Tuesday's board meeting that the county jail be abandoned.

If the motion is approved, it is likely that the prisoners would be removed to the city jail.

It is probable, however, that no action will be taken on the motion until reports on the 76-year-old building's structural condition and fire-hazard factors are given the board.

'On Record'

Brehm, who favors a new jail, indicated he wanted to "be on record" as moving for abandonment.

Meanwhile, Public Welfare and Safety Director Ray Osborn informed the city council Monday that Brehm has requested that the city enter into a contract for housing of county jail prisoners while a new jail is being built.

The council and Osborn agreed that a study would have to be made of available space at the city jail, the city's added expenses, and the time needed by the county.

Brehm later said he had not requested the city to enter into a contract, but had merely asked Osborn to determine what could be done insofar as the city would be concerned.

Brehm explained he was not representing the board in the request, but was acting on his own.

County Attorney Frederick H. Wagener's request to the state attorney general, asking whether the county, in effect, can levy funds for a new jail without having a vote of the people, was in the mail Monday.

Wagener is of the opinion a county having no bonded indebtedness can levy up to 1.5 mills—it would raise \$225,000 here—so long as it stays within the over-all limitation of five mills.

If this is so, the bill introduced into the legislature Monday would have no effect on Lancaster county. It would increase the amount county may raise by special levy for a new courthouse or jail from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

Wagener said he understands this increased amount applies when the petition method is used to bring about a new jail. Such a method requires 55 per cent of the voters.

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In fact, all dried fruits are excellent snack foods. A large assortment in the fruit bowl makes a tempting substitute for expensive fresh fruits in winter.

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Bill Would Re-Impose Gas Tax

Wiped Off Books By Referendum

BY ARCH DONOVAN
Star Staff Writer

The extra penny of gas tax that was removed by referendum vote after being passed by the last legislature would again be collected under a bill introduced in the legislature Monday by Sens. Otto Probs of Gering, Arthur Carmody of Trenton and Hugh Carson of Ord.

The gasoline tax was the keystone of the state highway program approved after a year-long study by disinterested engineers and a non-partisan committee representing all sections of the state and all various groups of the state.

The committee was appointed by Gov. Val Peterson at the request of a mass meeting of advocates of good roads. The governor campaigned in behalf of support of the program. It was opposed by three farm groups, the truckers association and the petroleum industry.

For Highways

The added tax would be for the construction and maintenance of state highways to equalize the one cent of gas tax that was given for graveling of rural mail routes in 1947. The mail route money had previously gone to the state assistance budget.

Other proposed legislation affecting motor vehicle owners was a bill to submit a constitutional amendment giving the legislative power to provide laws for collection of personal taxes on vehicles. It would make possible collection of the tax in advance at the time the license was purchased.

Sens. William Hern and Richard Marvel were introducers of the bill. It has been estimated that hundreds of thousands of dollars have been lost in taxes assessed but never collected because the vehicle owners left the state before the tax became due.

A similar proposal was attempted by the Nebraska New Car Dealers association through circulation of initiative petitions. Required signatures to their petition were not obtained. Fear that car dealers would be exempted from taxes was the explanation given for the failure.

Sen. W. J. Williams introduced a bill to establish the state assistance department as a division under the board of control with the board empowered to employ the director.

Under the present law, the director of assistance is appointed by the governor but functions under the board of control.

"It is a situation that while satisfactory at present could be extremely serious," Sen. Williams explained. "An incoming governor could appoint an assistance director who would not

work with the board and the board would be powerless.

"With two holdover members of the board appointed by previous administrations, it is possible a new governor and assistance chief would not agree with the program they had carried out and a deadlock would ensue."

Williams also introduced a bill to increase the salary of workmen's compensation court judges from \$4,000 to \$6,500 a year. Another of his bills would provide for full collection on school land sales at maturity.

Summary Of 1952 Budget

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Here is a quick summary of the budget presented to congress Monday by President Truman:

Estimated spending, July 1, 1951-June 30, 1952	\$71,594,000,000
Estimated revenue, same period	\$55,138,000,000
To be raised by new taxes	16,456,000,000
And this is where the money to be spent would go:	
Military services	41,421,000,000
International security (aid to allies, etc.)	7,461,000,000
Atomic energy	1,277,000,000
Defense production and controls	1,403,000,000
Civil defense	334,000,000
Maritime activities	334,000,000
Defense housing and community facilities	100,000,000
Dispersing government buildings	164,000,000
Veterans' services and benefits	4,911,000,000
Interest on public debt	5,897,000,000
Public roads	473,000,000
Other government functions	7,803,000,000
Total	\$71,594,000,000

Ralph Parks Again Heads City Mission

Budget \$16,241 Is Set For 1951

Ralph H. Park of Westminster Presbyterian was re-elected president of the executive committee of the People's City Mission Monday night at the 42nd annual report meeting.

Other officers re-elected were: Mrs. Frank Hauptman of Southminster; E. U. B. secretary; Rev. D. B. Raker of Calvary E. U. B. vice president.

Newly elected officers were: E. F. Estis of First Plymouth-Congregational, treasurer; Directors elected to serve three years: Mrs. E. L. Troup of Elm Park Methodist; E. P. Estis of First Plymouth-Congregational.

Frederic Tryon of Second Presbyterian. A budget of \$16,241 was set for 1951. Community Chest appropriations will make up \$11,641 of this amount.

Paul H. Beebe, treasurer, reported that expenses for 1950 were \$13,422.17 while the income totaled \$13,796.18. Community Chest appropriations made up \$10,230.19 of the total.

The building fund showed a balance of \$1,684.14. The report shows that the mission hopes to extend the present building twenty feet and the additional space will be used for a garage and walk-in cooler on the first floor and separate rooms on the second floor.

George M. Chenot, superintendent, reported that social services were rendered to 13,965. Lodging was provided for 10,919

and 23,983 meals were served. Jobs were found for 2,458. The cost of the 23,983 meals was \$2,120.53. Superintendent Chenot said the low cost was made possible by donations of cooked and uncooked foods from many individuals, churches, fraternal organizations, business organizations and companies who contributed in many ways. The report also shows that food was supplied to the Mission by the Surplus Foods Commodity division of the Board of Control.

The Sunday school report showed an active membership of 50 with nearly 100 percent attendance. The boys and girls made 43 scrap books which were sent to the American Mission to Leapers for distribution in the leper colonies.

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Wreck Victim Is Better At Hospital

Aura May Bannister, 69, who received multiple fractures in a two car collision Sunday, had shown some improvement early Tuesday morning, according to St. Elizabeth's hospital authorities.

Mrs. John Jasnoch, 54, of Ashton, who received a fractured hip in the same accident, was in good condition.

Mrs. Bannister, 3821 C, suffered fractured ribs, a fractured pelvis and a broken shoulder blade in the crash at Twelfth and D. Mrs. Jasnoch, her husband, and two others were riding in the second car. Mrs. Jasnoch was released after examination for neck injuries, a nurse said.

Youth Is Held For Inquiry On Checks

A 14-year-old Lincoln youth was being held Monday night for investigation concerning three bad checks he had written.

Saturday he cashed a check for five dollars at a filling station,

Generalities Do Not Exist in Nature

By J. Gordon Roberts

Nature provides no example of a generality. A generality is simply a convenient figure-of-speech.

For example: A friend came to me deeply worried by an experience.

He told me that he had read of a mass-murderer who had destroyed an undetermined number of women, between twenty and 200.

"You know," he told me worriedly, "I felt a grudging admiration for that fellow. I discovered that I must hate women, too."

"Where," I asked, "can you find me a 'women'?"

The generalization of "women" as an irrational concept dumb-founded my friend for a moment.

"All women," I continued, "have certain invariant characteristics, characteristics common to all of them. I don't believe, however, that you have a set of invariants. That's like hating a mathematical formula."

Upon an examination of his past, my friend discovered that he disliked his first-grade teacher who had ridiculed him before his classmates. She constituted the "women."

I, for one, would object to the elimination of all women.

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38 Counties Assessing Farm Land Below Adequate Mark, Johnson Says

Cattle Area Found In Low Section

Information Disclosed At 2-Day School

Forty per cent of Nebraska's 93 counties are assessing their agricultural lands for taxes below the mark considered as adequate by the state board of equalization and assessment.

This information was placed before about 100 county officials Monday afternoon by State Tax Commissioner Philip K. Johnson. The county representatives, mostly assessors, are in Lincoln to attend a two-day assessing school sponsored jointly by Johnson's office and the University of Nebraska's department of agricultural economics.

Johnson displayed a map which showed 38 counties as making land assessments of less than 60 per cent of the 20-year average sale prices.

The state board of equalization, the agency which sets the state tax levy and adjusts some tax assessments, considers assessments from 60 to 85 per cent of the 20-year average sale prices as being "average," and anything below 60 per cent as being too low, Johnson said.

Most of the low assessment counties are in Nebraska's cattle country. The list of the 38 counties whose assessments the board considers too low include:

Arthur, Banner, Box Butte, Butler, Chase, Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dawes, Dawson, Deuel, Dundy, Fillmore, Frontier, Furnas, Garden, Grant, Hall, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Holt, Kearney, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Lincoln, McPherson, Morrill, Perkins, Phelps, Polk, Red Willow, Rock, Sherman, Sioux, Thomas and York.

Urges Classification Johnson said a systematic classification of Nebraska agricultural lands, farm by farm, would be of tremendous help in simplifying Nebraska's property tax problems.

Since 1930, he explained, the state tax commissioner's office has been receiving land sale reports from Nebraska counties. Studies have been completed recently to compare average sale prices in various Nebraska areas with the average assessment for taxes.

Johnson said he has little



UNICAMERAL WAYS STUDIED—Students from Prof. John Brenneman's state government class at Doane college visited the unicameral Monday and were shown around by Senator C. C. Lillibridge of Crete. Shown (left to right) are Senator Lillibridge; Don Camp, Davenport; George L. Santo, sergeant

at arms of the legislature and former Doane field representative; Senator Harry Pizer, North Platte; Bob Provoise, Columbus; Elva Anderson, Bertrand; Patsy Vogt, Omaha; Dan Bowers, Verdon; and Prof. Brenneman. (Star Photo.)

Doane Students Learn In Capitol Tour

There's no dilly-dallying around when John Brenneman's Doane college state and local government class visits the Nebraska legislature and state house offices.

The students mean business. And they know their instructor, Associate Professor Brenneman, means business.

The visit is a regular part of the course and the student reports made after the tour figure in on the final exam. It is believed that the tour is unique in this respect.

Monday the class made its annual visit to the state house. During the morning they chatted with the governor on affairs of the state and later on watched the state legislature in action.

Then the group divided into committees and visited elective offices.

Some of the class also talked with administrative heads. The visit has snowballed into quite a popular thing on the Doane campus.

More Than Books This is proved by the fact that among the 29 visitors Monday, about three or four were

hope that Nebraska's land tax inequalities can be satisfactorily solved until counties classify their farm lands. With the classification system, he explained, adjustments could be made by class rather than by attempting the almost hopeless task of adjusting assessments on an individual basis.

At their first afternoon session, the assessors heard an address of welcome from Dr. W. V. Lambert, dean of the college of agriculture, and discussion by Joe Ackerman, Chicago, Farm Foundation representative; Philip A. Henderson, University of Nebraska staff member, and Aaron G. Nelson, Omaha, Farm Credit Administration representative.

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VOTING MACHINE STUDIED—The Doane students devoted a portion of their Monday legislative visit to studying the voting machine recording sheet. Left to right: Dan Bowers, Verdon; Bob Rogers, Friend; Elva Anderson, Bertrand; Lois Snyder, Plainville; Senator C. C. Lillibridge, Crete, who played host to the student group; and Unicameral Clerk Hugo S. (Star Photo.)

not members of the class and than you can get in a whole semester of text books."

Of course, he added, it is necessary to read text books before the visit is made to understand what the students see at the state house.

Brenneman explained his philosophy behind the visit like this: "In one day here you get more of a practical point of view

Shedd To Conduct Hastings Chapel
(Special To The Star)

HASTINGS, Neb.—Topics for chapel discussion during the annual Christian Emphasis week at Hastings college were announced this week by Bill Barrett, student chairman of the event.

Chapel sessions will be conducted daily, February 5-9, by Rev. Charles Shedd of Ponca City, Okla. Scheduled topics include "God—Is It All a Myth?", "Me—How Can I Understand Myself?", "Sex—Five Things You Should Know About It", "Communism—Why Does It Flourish?", "Popularity—You Too Can Have It."

As in past years, the daily chapel meetings will comprise a large part of the week's activities, with regular evening "bull" sessions sharing the spotlight in the various campus dormitories.

Services Held For Rev. Kostbahn, 83, Victim Of Accident
(Special To The Star)

EUSTIS, Neb.—Funeral services for Rev. Ludwig Kostbahn, 83-year-old retired Lutheran minister, were held here Sunday. Further services were held at Macon, Neb.

Rev. Kostbahn lost his life in an auto crash here last Thursday. A native of Germany, Rev. Kostbahn came to the U. S. in 1886.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Carl, Lexington; and a daughter, Mrs. Esther Spomer, McCracken, Kas.

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to feel, but that was, of course, before she started taking HADACOL. Loraine found that taking HADACOL helped her system overcome deficiencies in Vitamins B1, B2, Niacin and Iron, which HADACOL contains.

Here is Loraine Beck's own statement: "I was run-down, sick and skinny, and weighed only 90 pounds before I used HADACOL. I would not eat because I had no appetite. Now I weigh 123 pounds and have an appetite. I feel a lot better. I have been taking HADACOL 10 months and am still taking it. I am 15 years old. HADACOL has done me lots of good."

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\$80 Million In Military Construction Is Expected

For Missouri Basin Area, Sturgis Predicts: 'Picture Ever Changing'

OMAHA—(AP)—About \$80,000,000 in military construction will be initiated in the Missouri river basin in the next few months, Brig. Gen. S. D. Sturgis, Jr., estimated Monday.

General Sturgis, who is Missouri river division engineer, told the Associated General Contractors of Nebraska, this is an estimate based on information "presently available." In this connection, however, I am being advised almost daily of the possibility of new projects, and to give you some idea of how rapidly the picture is changing, I might point out that if I had been asked a week ago to give a figure on our probably immediate military workload I would have placed my estimate at about \$60,000,000."

General Sturgis said that for security reasons it is not possible to list all the projects involved. He added that present indications point to about 20 to 30 percent of the volume of construction in this region that was accomplished in World War II. He took note of the fact that many installations built then still are available.

He said there is no information relative to any new cantonments, posts, airfields or similar facilities to be constructed by the Missouri river division.

"While we regret the necessity for slowing up part of the Missouri river basin development project, we take satisfaction in the knowledge that work already accomplished and authorized to proceed, will contribute to the national defense, as well as to the economy of the region," he said. "We are fortunate that in the Missouri river are affected to a lesser extent than in most other river basins."

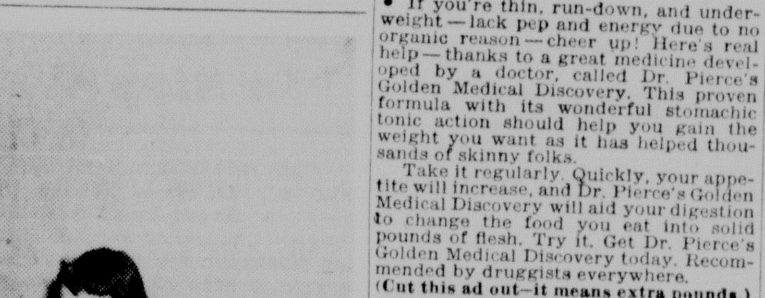
He told the engineers it is the job of both the federal agencies and representatives of private industry to "put first things first" in the present national emergency.

The Nebraska builders chapter of the association Monday named Ted Kalamanda of Peter Kiewit Sons company as president. Other officers are: Otto Beckenhauer, Norfolk, vice president; Orville Kinyery, Lincoln, treasurer; Virgil J. Haggert, Omaha, re-elected executive secretary; and Don Wagner, Omaha, assistant secretary.

Walter L. Couss, Detroit, Mich., president of the Associated General Contractors of America, said the national production administration had wanted Monday's or-

Loup City Man Is Slightly Better

Laverne Bukowski, 25-year-old Loup City man injured in an automobile accident near St. Paul Friday, was a "slight better" Monday at a Lincoln hospital, but still critical. Earl Piper, 27, also of Loup City, died in the crash.



NO DATES TONIGHT—These three freshmen girls at Nebraska Wesleyan university have posted that "No Dates Tonight" sign and they'll leave it hanging the rest of the week. The reason? Final examinations for the first semester are going on at Wesleyan through the remainder of this week. So (l to r) Gretchen Calvert, Friend; Janice Anderson, Potter; and Edna Hampton, Gering, all residents of Johnson Women's Residence hall at Wesleyan, are spending their evenings boning up on such important things as psychology, physiology, mathematics, etc., more worldly subjects rejected for the time being.

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Nebraska Deaths

ARTIE E. DUFF
FALLS CITY—Artie E. Duff, 66, resident of Falls City, died at 4:44 p.m. Wednesday at his home. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Bojack, three brothers, a sister and three grandchildren.

MRS. W. D. RICHOLZ
OSCEOLA—Funeral services for Mrs. W. D. Richolz, 61, who died Tuesday, January 9, at Shelby, were held Thursday afternoon. Surviving are her husband; five sons, Lonnie of York, Arthur of Shelby, Delores of Osceola, Eugene of Durango, Colo., and Chester of Shelby; two daughters, Mrs. Claud Pittman and Mrs. Robert Gustafson, both of Lincoln; her mother, Mrs. Dollie Finney, and a number of grandchildren.

EMMA PEASE
NEBRASKA CITY—Emma Pease, 83, well known Nebraska City resident, died Thursday following an extended illness. She was a one-time teacher in Iowa. Surviving are a nephew, Jim Smith, and a niece, Mrs. Ida Cass, Hamburg, Ia.

JOSEPH SWANTICK
DUNCAN—Funeral services for Joseph Swantick, 89, retired Polk county farmer, were held Saturday morning. He died Wednesday at his farm home. Born in Poland, he came to America at the age of 23 and since that time resided in Polk and Platte counties. Surviving are his wife; two sons, Charles of Genoa and John of Columbus; six daughters, Mrs. Mary Zumbach, Mrs. Henry Zumbach and Mrs. Julia Zumbach, all of Genoa; Mrs. Victoria Twork, Columbus; Mrs. Veronika Molczyk, Lincoln; Mrs. Carolina Hanzel, Platte Center; 31 children and 54 grand-children.

MRS. ANDREW JEZ
DUNCAN—Funeral services for Mrs. Andrew Jez, 83, who died Thursday in a morning, were held Saturday morning. Born in Poland, she came to the U. S. at the age of eight. She spent most of her married life at Duncan and Clark. Surviving are her husband, two brothers and one sister.

ROBERT TOWNSEY
AURORA—Funeral services for Robert Townsey, 61, who died Saturday, January 6, at his home, were held Monday. He had been in poor health for a number of years. Surviving are his father, Glenn Townsey, two brothers and three sisters.

MRS. VISTA WOODARD
AURORA—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Vista Woodard, 77, former Aurora resident. Death was attributed to leukemia. She spent many years teaching in Aurora prior to her marriage to the late John Woodard. She also lived in Lincoln before coming to Aurora. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Don Bell, Beverly, Mass., and Mrs. W. L. Hulse, Ia.; one brother, Dr. Charles Hulse, Ia.; and two sisters, Mrs. Bert Jackson and Mrs. Vera Barnshaw, both of Dallas, Tex.

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HANDLE WITH KID GLOVES

The trial of William W. Remington, former commerce department economist, on a charge of perjury, is in progress in New York City. It has been the lifelong, settled policy of this newspaper to abstain from comment until a case being heard by a court is finished, the verdict in. There is no intention now to depart from sound journalistic practice.

But a development late last week in the Remington case should not be ignored. Its reflection, if it does raise a question in the public's mind, is upon the newspapers themselves and not upon the delicate, carefully-developed judicial processes in this country. When the accused's former wife, testifying for the prosecution, took the witness stand, the wirephoto cameras snapped. Most of the newspapers carried on their front pages, pictures of the witness testifying against her ex-husband. That is understandable. The scene contained elements of drama, the kind of stuff that is bread-and-meat in these days of American journalism. Not only did the picture appear, but a very substantial wire account of the testimony given by the witness, and when the story reached the street, there it was in a large majority of papers, page 1, flaring headlines designed to catch the eye.

In the circumstances of the great tension of today, that is understandable. If men occupying posts of public trust are enamored of a foreign ideology (a charge Remington vehemently denies, and he was cleared by a loyalty board), there is no sympathy to be wasted on "characters" of this sort.

Late last week, the defense came to bat. And the first defense witness Miss Lela Sepha, told the jury listening to the evidence in the Remington case she typed the contracts under which the grand jury foreman, which returned the true bill against the accused, was to receive a "percentage" for editorial assistance to Elizabeth T. Bentley, Miss Bentley, the news dispatches continued, self described former courier for a soviet spring ring, was an important government witness and also appeared before the grand jury to testify against Remington. Remington, the slim young one-time government economist, is accused of lying before the grand jury and denying he ever was a communist. The defense is attempting to show there are "irregularities" in the presentation of an indictment against Remington . . . Mrs. Eileen Collins, of Hempstead, Long Island, a former em-

ployee of the Devin Adair Publishing Company, which is publishing the Bentley book, entitled "Out of Bondage," corroborated most of the testimony of Miss Sepha. The witness said she first saw Brunini and Miss Bentley late in May, 1950, at the publisher's office together. She testified two contracts were signed by the company for the book. Mrs. Collins said the first was drawn up in May, 1950, and was between the firm and Miss Bentley and Brunini. The attractive Mrs. Collins related to the jury how a short time later, a second contract was drawn up between Devin Adair and Miss Bentley alone. She said the first contract was destroyed.

No American need lose any sleep about the action of the court in all this matter. The evidence was admitted as a part of the evidence in the case, and it will be given the proper emphasis in the arguments of the lawyers and the instructions of the presiding judge, if, in their judgment, the testimony deserves it.

What is a little more disturbing, wholly removed from the courtroom itself, is that the testimony of a working agreement between a jury foreman and a star government witness received such scanty attention in the great majority of the newspapers. Apparently it did not impress itself upon the hard-working editors and the desk men. Some of the papers, including this paper, carried a few lines tucked away under a small head, inconspicuous to the average reader, busy with the everyday cares of life.

Freedom is not threatened solely by the evil men in the Kremlin. It faces genuine danger here at home, the blundering of a stepped-up hysteria of well meaning Americans, the flames of which have been mouting higher and higher, week by week, in the full-throated demands and charges that American government was suffering from a full-scale attack of communist termites. We think the government is entitled to produce every shred of evidence against Remington designed to reveal his associations and to prove the charges brought against him. Remington himself, through his legal counsel, is entitled to present every line of testimony tending to establish his innocence. What happens to that evidence in newspaper stories is in the lap of the gods, meaning the working press of a free people, who are about to enter upon great sacrifices to preserve their liberties.

TAMING THE BIG MUDDY

The presidential ax did not fall upon Missouri river basin developments as heavily as might have been anticipated. In his budget message to congress Monday Mr. Truman asked congress to appropriate \$149,782,300 for flood control and reclamation in the Missouri basin during the fiscal year of 1952.

This is \$84,383,000 less than the White House requested for the two agencies for the current fiscal year which ends next June 30. Then he recommended \$129,000,000 for the Army Engineers and an approximate \$105,000,000 for the Bureau of Reclamation.

The largest single item in Missouri basin funds was \$37,000,000 for the Garrison reservoir in North Dakota; second largest, \$34,000,000 for completion of the Fort Randall reservoir, both under construction by the Army Engineers. It was clear from the president's recommendations

that in a very large sense, river basin development was limited to projects which did contribute directly to American military security. The bulk of the funds was earmarked for big dams on the rivers, capable of producing electricity, which is the life-blood of a modern nation.

There were items in the presidential recommendation highly pleasing to Nebraska. One related to the Bostwick development on the Republican, largely irrigation facilities in southern Nebraska. Another was the recommendation for \$8,400,018 for work on the Trenton dam, and for irrigation laterals at Cambridge. There was also provision for finishing steps on the Frenchman river project. There was a smaller amount of money earmarked for the Farwell and Sargent units on the Middel Loup. All in all, the people of the Missouri basin and the people of Nebraska can feel that they have been well treated.

THE WHITE-COLLARED FOLKS

There are a whole of a lot of white-collared workers—teachers, in the public schools and the institutions of higher learning, clerks, typists, others in various classifications performing a very necessary work in industry and business, and looking to the weekly paycheck for beans, bread, and butter.

They will tell you that 1950 was rough, a year in which the rising costs of food, clothing, fuel, rentals and all other items involving necessities, soared more rapidly than the figures on the paycheck. Now they are confronted with the prospects of Uncle Sam's taking another big bite in the form of taxes. It has them worried. One need not talk with them for any length of time without observing that a great many of them are wondering how they are going to pay a substantially increased tax contribution, and at the same time make even the slightest pretense of meeting living costs.

The quick, simple answer, of course, is that they are not. This is a period of belt-tightening, of austerity, of common sacrifice during which

Earthquakes And Wells

Not only do political and diplomatic events in Asia shake the course of American affairs, but there is now conclusive evidence that such things as earthquakes in remote areas of the world also produce an effect on American water wells.

An article in a recent issue of Economic Geology points out that the water level in southern Florida wells fluctuated considerably from the "effects of earthquakes, rains, tides, winds and atmospheric-pressure changes." Substantiation of even broader nature was offered this week by hydrologists of the United States geological survey, who charted water levels in wells as far distant as Florida and Texas during a violent earthquake in southern Asia last August.

Tests have not been made on wells in Nebraska but it is evident from the government agency's findings that the same principle is involved here. There have been enough instances of rising and falling of water levels during severe quakes to establish the fact that inland areas such as Nebraska also are affected by shocks half way across the world. Nothing, it would seem, is safe from change when nature takes over, even thousands of miles away.

Statehouse-White House

There was once a time when the governor's chair was considered a prelude to the White House, a traditional route traveled by such men as Theodore Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson, Calvin Coolidge and Franklin D. Roosevelt, all of whom went directly from the gubernatorial office to the head of the ticket of their respective parties. Today, however, the trend is reversed, the governors appear to regard



WASHINGTON. — Tim McInerney, the ex-justice department official and friend of statesmen, was visiting with Pope Pius XII at Castel Gandolfo, his summer palace. McInerney, formerly a Boston newspaperman, had known the Pope when the latter visited Boston as papal secretary. As they paced up and down the terrace together, the conversation got around to the Tehran conference at which Churchill, arguing for a second front through southern Europe, pointed to the influence of the Catholic church in that area. To this Stalin replied: "And how many divisions has the Pope?" McInerney asked "What was your answer when Churchill later told you about that?" The Pope replied: "Tell my son Joseph that he will meet my divisions in eternity."

TAX FRAUDS — President Truman has warned the nation that John Q. Taxpayer will have to pay taxes literally through the nose to finance rearmament. This isn't going to be pleasant, but John Q. Taxpayer can take it—as long as no favorites are played in tax collections.

About 99 per cent of the T-men who enforce tax collections are honest, underpaid and hard-working. However, a few dishonest fixers can leave an awfully sour taste with the American people.

Exactly one year ago, for instance, this column exposed the way a small band of internal revenue agents were shaking down New Yorkers and gouging bribes from them in lieu of taxes.

Among those shaken down was the Kenmore Clock and Suit company which made a payoff of \$3,000 on cash to T-men William A. Ganey, Thomas Cannon, jr., and James A. Bessell.

Another outfit shaken down was the Sherman Chevrolet company, Yonkers, after T-man John Galgano discovered a black-market, under-the-table transaction of \$300. The two partners, Jack Ingraham and Morris Sherman, finally paid \$4,000 in cash to Ganey, Bessell and Galgano, who kept \$1,200 each, giving the balance to an unknown politician named "George."

The T-men also started a tax shakedown of the Rex Refrigeration Service company of New York, but Carl Sandberg, a leader of the Star Democratic club stepped in and finally got the tax case called off.

These and many other details were published by this column one year ago. Names, dates and places were given. Naturally this is not the kind of news story some editors relish because it carries definite risks of libel. Following publication, however, Asst. Atty. Gen. James McInerney stepped in and as a result, William A. Ganey has now been given five years and Thomas Cannon, jr., 18 months—all behind bars. They were also fined a total of \$32,209.

With high taxes, we are now heading into a period when the temptation to evade taxes will

In Step With The Sower

By ARCH DONOVAN

"FREEZE" WILL NOT HALT SPRING THAW — "What's the use?" The Sower heard one state senator inquire of another during discussion of Gov. Val Peterson's urgent request for an immediate "freeze" on all building by state agencies.

"Let's look at the record," as Al Smith used to say," he continued. "Just last week voters at Sid-

ney approved 708 to 77 a proposal for a \$276,000 bond issue to start a new grade school building next April. Are we in step with the thinking of the people of the state if we halt progress now in fear that at some future time we may face trouble?"

"It kinda put Ray Babcock (senator from Sidney) on the spot to decide what the people in his section want," the other senator was overheard to remark.

"Yeah. But look at the fix Sen. J. L. Brown is in," his colleague answered. Here he is a newcomer and his home town of Brule last week voted a \$50,000 bond issue for a school with the vote 129 to 91 and 95 per cent of those qualified participating. That's close enough for him to catch it either way."

"How about 'Lefty' (W. J. Williams)," the second senator interjected. "What he lives at Ravenna, the big vote in his district is in Kearney. I notice the school board there sold \$250,000 in bonds for three new school buildings. They do not seem to fear an inflation spiral."

"I wonder if the 'freeze' will stop the hospital building going on with federal and local funds that the state supervises?" the senator was heard to question as they moved away.

WATCH TAX DOLLAR IN BOTH POCKETS — Sen. C. C. Lillibridge of Crete has a mad on. Not only is he disturbed, but as he tells the tale of woe of Saline county and others he is causing other senators to "get a trifle warm under the collar." As the Crete dentist and official escort of the senators to the American Legion "coon feed" at Crete tells it, some full time state employees are "cashing in" handsomely when the counties enforce state laws.

—Washington Merry-Go-Round—

GOVERNMENT MUST PUT THUMBS DOWN ON TAX EVADERS

By DREW PEARSON

be strong. A forthright system of tax collection is the only thing that can be fair to everyone.

TIDE OF TOYS—Whether or not you agree with Herbert Hoover about sending a land army abroad, the American Legion has touched both the root and the heartstrings of the European problem by building friendships among children.

That's why hundreds of Legion posts are now pouring the Tide of Toys toward pier 38, Philadelphia, after which the toys will be shipped to Europe and distributed by CARE, the organization which has done so much to bring food and friendship to the European people. Here's how the Tide of Toys is flowing:

Toledo is going to surpass last year's total of 10,000 toys with a 1951 total of 22,000. The Toledo Boys club even sacrificed part of its Christmas vacation to making brand new toys. Miami has challenged Denver, Memphis, Omaha and the bigger Legion posts to beat them this year. But Omaha, the world's largest Legion post, has already piled up a pretty good start. Sears, Roebuck at Wilmington, Del., is donating \$600 worth of toys, with the state of Delaware contributing 10,000 toys. In Boston, American Legion theatrical post No. 270 has established headquarters for the toy drive on the famous Boston Common.

Newspapers and radio are co-operating to make this campaign success. Biggest campaign so far is in Buffalo where about 80,000 toys are being shipped in eight boxcars to Philadelphia. The tide was so great that Mayor Joseph Mruk opened up Buffalo's memorial auditorium for packaging and shipment. Note—Don't forget to send letter of friendship with your toy.

MOHAMMEDAN WAR

LORD—The Chinese war lord whom we had hoped might be a bulwark against communism, has now evacuated in a private plane and is seeking haven in the United States. He is Mohammedan General Ma Hung-Kwei, described by Life Magazine as "a block of strength in the sagging nationalist structure. Communist agitators and invaders steer clear of Ninghsia," said Life, "mainly because they know that Ma Hung-Kwei's peasant soldiers are tough, well trained and always ready to fight for their homes." General Ma, however, did not hang around to find out how well his peasant soldiers would fight. When the Chinese communists started marching into his remote domain, he bundled his family, nurse, wife's nurse, secretary and interpreter into a private plane and made a bee-line for Hong Kong. There he picked up visitors and transit visas for his party and lit out for the United States. However, unable to get the visas extended, he set up camp in Mexico City, and is pulling strings and spending from his vast treasury chest to get a permanent permit to stay in this country. (Copyright, 1951, by Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

'We Are The People'

Courage Of A Mother And Her Young Son



We are the people. We have courage and strength for battles ahead, for we have won through in the past because of these very qualities. This is the story of a mother and her son. The mother is Mrs. Robert T. Smith, and her son is Richard Smith, of 4035 Everett street. "I remember when he could not move any part of his body except his hand," the mother said. "He would raise his hand just a little when his father and I came into the room." Little Richard had been stricken with one of the most serious types of infantile paralysis in September, 1949. Mrs. Smith never forgot that the most important thing was to have courage herself.

"His smiles saved us," she said, "and they saved him, too." His smiles were natural; he did not know the serious nature of the disease which had struck him. He knew only that his parents were terribly worried. His parents' smiles were a necessity, for they were well informed about infantile paralysis—and he was their son.

But no matter what the source of the courage and strength, this was the foundation upon which the family lived and is now living. Mrs. Smith laughed when she told of her son's first inclination to use his crutch as a make-believe gun. Then she became more serious as she explained that it was a hand crutch. Richard cannot use a regular crutch because the muscles under his

arm are permanently damaged. Every day Mrs. Smith massages her son's muscles, every day Richard is made to pump the pedals of a tricycle or a hobby horse.

"We make games out of these necessities," Mrs. Smith explained.

Mrs. Smith has three other children besides Richard. She is a Red Cross worker and a member of the Polio Emergency committee.

Richard, a first grader, is a lover of cowboys, and despite his affliction, one of the happiest boys in the world.

"We know that complete recovery is rare in a case like this," the mother said. "But we have come so far, and we will go farther."

THE PEOPLE SPEAK

Editorial Note: Be brief. A letter limited to 200 words or less is more likely to be read. Letters signed by a nom de plume must be accompanied by the writer's name and address. Letters represent only the contributor's view.

LIKES MARKET PAGE

Lincoln, Neb. To the editor of The Lincoln Star: I congratulate you on your greatly improved morning paper, particularly the more complete market page; heretofore I have been obliged to buy an Omaha paper to get listings on securities in which I was interested. This is no longer necessary.

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DEWEY FOR SECRETARY

Lincoln, Neb. To the editor of The Lincoln Star: With Henry C. Luckey's letter to the president in a recent issue of The Star, I agree 100 percent. Harry Truman is not president of the democrats alone, but of all the people. Quoting from Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg speech, he is president of a "government by the people, of the people and for the people," with emphasis on the people. He should therefore do what Mr. Lincoln did—appoint for his cabinet, the best and wisest men he could find, regardless of politics. The practice of the party in power ignoring men in the opposite party, no matter how competent they are, is absolutely wrong. And that is just what recently because of the pressure by the people Mr. Truman would do a wise thing if he would fire Dean Acheson and appoint Thomas Dewey as secretary of state. Mr. Dewey is comparatively young, and he certainly is competent. In this crisis we need the very wisest and best men we can find to head the government. We need an Abraham Lincoln for president, but since we can't have a man like him, the one we have could at least surround himself with wise and competent advisers, consider their advice and take it, if good, and reject it, if bad.

C. J. JOHNSON.

"GENERAL" TAFT

Lincoln, Neb. To the editor of The Lincoln Star: Generalissimo Taft has been more than occupied, throwing his weight around and popping off with the frequency of a singing tea-kettle in an effort to live up to the moniker he recently acquired, that of "Mr. Republican." Overnight he has become a military expert, a foreign diplomat, an economist and what-have-you, in which respect he is emulating our own junior senator from Nebraska. It was during the regime of President Wilson that the late Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, referred to some western senators as being "sons of western jack-asses." It is the opinion of this writer that this appellation could be aptly revived and applied to the "generalissimo" from Ohio and the "Whip" (short for whip-snapper) from Nebraska.

HENRY HOOK.

FAITH AND COURAGE.

Lincoln, Neb. To the editor of The Lincoln Star: Democrats should never forget these basic factors in our national unity and strength: "A faith in the God we worship and in the mankind He created; an unshakable conviction that right must prevail over might, and the deep-rooted courage to take whatever steps are necessary to support and protect the things we believe in." Mastering such support, fostering

ADVICE FROM RETIRED SLEEP, BED AND MATTRESS EXPERT

By WHITNEY BOLTON

A man with an idea gnawing at him came rapping at the front door the other night and said he wanted to sit down and talk about sleep. He didn't want to sleep, just wanted to talk about it and it turned out he wasn't selling a thing. Not a thing. Not even insurance. This is a man who was born gabby and acquired a mental tic.

There is nothing to do with a man like that except give him the leather chair. "Here you've got a big bed," he said. "Approve of that. But it is hard enough to rest you?" I told him I thought it was, that I hadn't had a restful night for five years, not really restful. Sometimes I didn't sleep because my mind was pin-wheeling, but it was calm wakefulness, relaxed and pleasant wakefulness. Why?

"People kill themselves with unscientific beds," he said. "I made my living telling people that before I retired."

"To bed or from making money?" I asked. "From making money," he said. "I am a retired expert on sleep. Before that I was an efficiency expert. And you know what I found: that the mathematics of sleep are tremendous. What kind of bed do you have? Big enough?"

"It's eight feet wide and seven feet long," I said. "Hard mattress, hard box spring. Gives about as much as a length of marble. Took me two months to get used to it and no real insomnia since. No tossing."

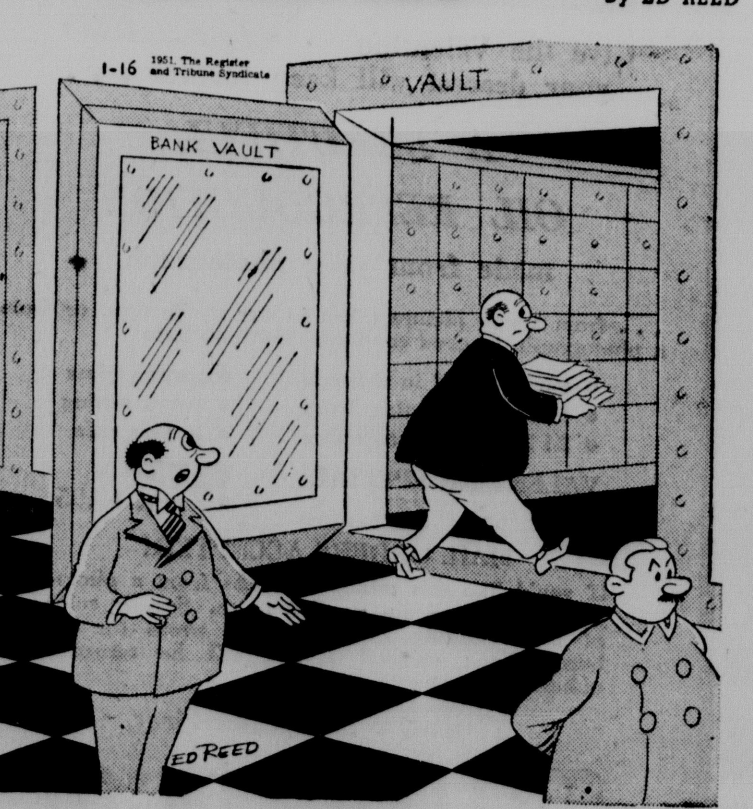
"Cost you \$500," he said. "But you got it back in one chunk from a magazine. I happen to know you wrote a piece about beds. About how people fritter away one-third of their lives at eight hours a day on cheap."

strong national unity must be our paramount "political" activity for the coming years. To continue to have the confidence of the great majority of our citizens, we must deserve such trust.

J. R. FARRIS.

OFF THE RECORD

By ED REED



"Lock it up good, Ellison, I've got a dozen eggs in there."

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—Budget Message—

Farmer Subsidies Proposed

Truman Says Nothing—However, About Use To Brake Food Prices

BY OVID A. MARTIN

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman proposed again Monday the use of subsidies to protect farmers against low prices, but said nothing about their possible use to keep food prices from going too high.

In his budget message to congress, the chief executive said the government should have power to make payments to farmers as a means of supporting their prices.

Such authority, he said, would avoid the accumulation and loss of perishable foods under the present method of price support—government purchase and removal from the market of a part of the supply when farm prices weaken too much.

Brannan Plan

Contrary to expectations in some food trade and farm circles, Mr. Truman said nothing about possible use of subsidies as a device for holding down retail food prices.

During World War II, the government paid subsidies to farmers on some products in order to avoid raising price ceilings to levels deemed necessary to encourage desired food production.

This proposed use of subsidies as a method of supporting farm returns is a major feature of the controversial farm plan advanced in 1949 by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan, but turned down by the last congress.

Mr. Truman said agriculture is in a strong financial position. Nevertheless, he said there will continue to be a need during the fiscal year beginning next July 1 for government price supports.

He estimated price support expenditures will total about \$238,000,000 more than government receipts from sale of products previously accumulated during support operations. He said receipts this year would exceed expenditures by \$296,000,000. Last year outlays were \$1,600,000,000 greater than receipts.

Mr. Truman estimated government expenditures in behalf of agriculture and agricultural resources would total about \$1,400,000,000 next year compared with about \$1,000,000,000 this year and \$2,800,000,000 last year. A major item would be \$250,000,000 for soil conservation, the same amount approved for this year. Under this program, payments are made to farmers who comply with approved farming practices.

The appropriation for the school lunch program would be unchanged at \$33,500,000, while funds for agricultural research would remain about the same at \$75,000,000.

Sturgis' Successor Visits In Omaha

OMAHA—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Don Shingler, who will succeed Brig. Gen. S. D. Sturgis, Jr., as Missouri River division engineer here soon, was in Omaha Monday on a brief visit.

He will return to St. Louis Tuesday and expects to be back in Omaha to take over his new post about the first of February.

7 Lost In A Storm

SANTA CRUZ DE LA PALMA Canary Islands—(AP)—A crew of seven men drowned Monday when the small Spanish sailing vessel Quisquina sank in a storm a few miles off the coast here.

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DOCTORS, DENTISTS, AND VETERINARIANS REGISTER—Dr. David S. Rausten of 3111 South Forty-fourth street, was among the physicians who put 1228 M street on their list of calls Monday. Dr. Rausten registered with Mrs. Ella L. McDermott, assistant clerk, as the final group of these professions signed with Lincoln's two selective service boards. Ninety-five registered in Lincoln of the expected 500 to register throughout the state. (Star Photo.)

Total Of 95 Medical Men Register Here

Lincoln's Selective Service registered a total of 95 doctors, dentists and veterinarians Monday on the final call for registrants in these professions.

By noon Monday 49 had registered with Lincoln's two boards at 1228 M street. Although figures were not broken down, selective service officials said about 10 to 12 of the number registering were veterinarians. Also included in the group were five or six physicians who entered the United States on D.P. quotas. Primarily from Latvia, they are presently working in state-operated hospitals and institutions.

Men Under 50

The registration in Lincoln and over the nation will complete the list of men in these professions who did not register Oct. 16. Then those men who received training at government expense or were deferred to complete professional training and served less than 21 months subsequent to training or release from the training program registered in the first and second priorities.

Monday's registration for third and fourth priorities includes those doctors, dentists, and veterinarians who are under 50 years of age regardless of prior reserve components do not register. The October registration for the state totaled 139, Brig. Gen. Guy N. Henninger, state director of selective service, said. Monday's national total may reach 210,000, he added.

Shelby Soldier One Of Trio Arrested By Soviet Officer

BERLIN—(AP)—Three rabbit-hunting GIs who wandered into the Russian zone and were arrested Sunday were turned over to U. S. authorities Monday by Soviet officers.

The three, members of the U. S. infantry band in Berlin, were carrying shotguns when they strayed over the line outside the city. They reported they had undergone only routine questioning by the Russians and had not been mistreated on their overnight stay.

U. S. officers, who had requested their return, called for them at Karlshorst, Soviet headquarters. The men were identified as M/Sgt. Edward A. Matlack of Whiteland, Crest, Pa., Pfc. Charles S. Kuntzelman, Shelby, Neb.; and Sgt. George W. Williams of Oglesby, Ill.

Long-Time Shelby Residents

A veteran of both the army and navy, Pfc. Kuntzelman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Kuntzelman, long-time Shelby residents. In the army for the past three years, the 25-year-old soldier has spent the entire time in Berlin. Prior to his army service, Pfc. Kuntzelman was in the U. S. navy for three years. His wife is with him in Berlin. The soldier's father, a rural mail carrier, told The Star his son has always "loved to hunt."

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Farm Meet At Emerald Set Tuesday

Emerald will be the scene Tuesday of the first of six farm and home meetings to be held in Lancaster county during the next two weeks.

The Emerald meeting will start at 10 a.m. at the Pla-Mor ballroom, with county extension board members A. G. Warboys and Mrs. Charles Wiechert, in charge. The meetings are being held by the Lancaster county extension service and the county agent's office.

County Agent Verdon Petersen said the meeting will open with color films on the corn borer, seed certification, and new crop varieties, and Extension Forester Earl Maxwell will give an illustrated talk on farmstead windbreaks and yard beautification.

Following a luncheon there will be a home freezer demonstration by Home Agent Frances S. Runty, and colored slides on farm home interiors for the women.

A panel discussion on soil and water conservation and grass management will be on the men's afternoon program. Albert Spehnheimer of the Lancaster county soil conservation service will moderate. Wilbur Ringler, extension soil specialist of the college of agriculture, will speak on the use of commercial fertilizers, crop rotations, soil testing and other soil topics.

The other five meetings to be held in the county are:

Marshall—Jan. 18, community hall. Hickman—Jan. 19, Presbyterian church. Walton—Jan. 21, high school. Waverly—Jan. 25, Grange hall. Davey—Jan. 30, community hall.

Mrs. Orme Takes Part AAUW Talks

City Councilwoman Fern Hubbard Orme returned Monday from St. Paul, Minn., where she attended a Sunday meeting of the northwest central regional state presidents of the American Association of University Women.

She engaged in the group's discussion of the ways and means by which the AAUW members can help in various state civilian defense programs.

Mrs. Orme reported on her recent trip to Washington and the mid-century White House conference on children and youth.

She emphasized to the AAUW the need and importance of the country's schools and colleges continuing liberal arts programs of education.

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Suspicious Brand Cattle Can Be Held

The Nebraska brand committee can require that cattle from Kansas bearing brands like those registered in Nebraska can be retained at the livestock exchange until a Nebraska brand holder is given opportunity to prove ownership of the cattle.

This was held in an opinion by the attorney general's office.

This rule would prevent cattle thieves from disposing of stolen cattle on the mere spoken premise that they were Kansas cattle and Kansas brands, the opinion said.

Councilmen Will Study Cotner Sale

The city council Monday unanimously adopted a resolution by Councilman Rees Wilkinson calling for the appointment of a committee to study the issues involved in the selling of the old Cotner college property.

Wilkinson has advanced the idea that the city should enter a bid for the amount of its lien on the property, when and if the land is auctioned off at a tax sale.

The city's lien, or the outstanding taxes, amount to approximately \$15,000.

Every council member is a trustee of the people under the charter, said Wilkinson, and are duty bound to protect the interests of the people of the city and especially the people of Bethany, where the property is located.

Wilkinson suggested that the property could be used as a public park because of its central location and the bus service to that area.

The city council delayed tax foreclosure proceedings against the property last week at the request of M. L. Springer. Springer holds an approximate \$30,000 first mortgage on the land and asked for more time in which to sell the property to a prospective purchaser.

Wilkinson was also appointed chairman of a committee to investigate the feasibility of city owned and operated parking lots. No other committee members were named.

Wilkinson had submitted the parking lot plan to the council at its last Monday meeting.

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BEER BUYING BRUNETTE — Mrs. Lorraine Brandon, 27, Detroit, Mich., wears long housecoat in county jail at Springfield, Mo., where she is serving 10-day sentence on vagrancy charge. Here she learned three wives in Detroit have accused her of luring husbands on a trip by buying them beer. (AP Wirephoto.)

Korean War Replacements Planned For Early March

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The defense department said Monday "replacements for casualties and battle weary soldiers" will start reaching Korea "in quantity" by early March, and a small number will arrive in February.

An official spokesman said most of them will be drawn from men inducted into the service in the September, October, and November draft calls, but he declined to give totals.

However, the September and October draft calls were for 50,000 men each, and November call totalled 70,000.

Some replacements—mostly reservists called to duty and volunteers—already have reached Korea and more are on the way, the spokesman said, but indicated their number is not great.

Mrs. Robert Gazley, Former Lincolnite, Dies In San Antonio

Mrs. Robert Gazley, the former Mrs. Will O'Shea of Lincoln, died recently in San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Gazley, who was active in the First Presbyterian church and Matinee Musicale while in Lincoln, went to San Antonio about 20 years ago. Her husband, Mr. O'Shea, was a musician in Lincoln and was connected with the Ross P. Curtice company for about 20 years.

Surviving Mrs. Gazley is a brother, Earl Kennedy of San Antonio.

Services and burial were held in San Antonio.

MAIN FEATURES START

VARITY: "The Good Humor Men," 1:22, 4:38, 7:54, "711 Ocean Drive," 2:48, 6:04, 9:40.

STATE: "When You're Smiling," 1:00, 3:37, 6:14, 8:51, "The Texan Meets Calamity Jane," 2:15, 4:52, 7:29, 10:06.

HUSKERS: "Prisoners In Petticoats," 1:04, 3:36, 6:08, 8:40, "Wyoming," 2:08, 4:20, 7:12, 9:44, "Lincoln," "Break Through," 1:28, 3:28, 5:28, 7:31, 9:32.

STUART: "Dallas," 1:26, 3:27, 5:28, 7:29, 9:30.

NEBRASKA: "Woman on the Run," 1:11, 4:04, 6:57, 9:40, "Adam and Evalyn," 2:45, 5:38, 8:31.

CAPITOL: "Panic in the Streets," 1:00, 4:25, 7:50, "Break- ing Point," 2:38, 6:03, 9:28.

JOYO: "The Jackpot," 7:30, 9:40.

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